## **State of South Dakota**

## SEVENTY-FIFTH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2000

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## SENATE BILL NO. 124

Introduced by: Senator Brown (Arnold) and Representative Fiegen

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise long-term care provisions.
- 2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 3 Section 1. That § 28-1-41 be amended to read as follows:
- 4 28-1-41. The Department of Social Services shall adopt rules and regulations, pursuant to
- 5 <u>chapter 1-26</u>, to guard against unnecessary utilization of skilled nursing facility and intermediate
- 6 care services by public assistance recipients, and to assure that payments made in behalf of such
- 7 recipients are not in excess of reasonable charges consistent with efficiency, economy, and
- 8 quality of care.